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ANNUAL
REPORTS

TOWN OF
North Hampton
NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the year ending
JANUARY 31
1937

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Annual Reports

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TOWN TREASURER
Highway Agent, Board of Education
and Other Officers of the Town

OF

NORTH HAMPTON
NEW HAMPSHIRE

For The
Year Ending January 31,
1937

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TOWN OFFICERS

1936-1937

Moderator

IRVING W. MARSTON

Town Clerk

RUTH K. LEAVITT

Selectmen

FORREST E. KNOWLES JOSHUA F. DRAKE

IRVING W. MARSTON

Town Treasurer

GEORGE G. CARTER

Collector of Taxes

EDWARD M. SMITH

Representative to the General Court

FORREST E. KNOWLES

Highway Agent

ELMER J. SMITH

Supervisors of Checklist

ARTHUR E. SEAVEY FRED L. DOW

RUSSELL D. MOULTON

Police and Constable

ARTHUR A. BROWN

Auditors

GORDON S. DOW MARLAND D. KNOWLES

Board of Education

CHESTER A. DAVIS AUSTIN J. NORTON

ADA M. FOGG

Library Trustees

DOROTHY HOBBS FRED L. DOW

EDWARD M. SMITH

Fire Warden

GORDON S. DOW

Trustees of Trust Fund

EDWARD M. SMITH FRED C. LEAVITT

ARTHUR E. SEAVEY

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of North Hampton in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said North Hampton on Tuesday, the Ninth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see what action the town will take regarding the accepting of State Aid for the completion of Mill Road, and appropriate money for the same.

4. To see what action the town will take in regard to Class V Roads and appropriate money for the same, provided State Aid for Mill Road is not accepted.

5. To see what action the Town will take regarding the appropriation and raising the sum of \$7,000 for the purchase of a new fire truck and equipment.

6. To see what action the Town will take regarding giving the Selectmen the power to issue bonds for the sum necessary to cover the above appropriation; said bonds to be amortized over a period of six years from date of issue.

7. To raise and appropriate for the issuance and distribution of printed matter calling attention to the resources

and natural advantages of the town, in cooperation with other towns in the Seacoast Regional Development Association, the sum of \$168.90.

8. To see what action the Town will take in regard to reopening and maintaining under supervision old town pit dump now owned by Clinton B. Norton and appropriate \$100 to support a caretaker, buy and truck gravel to cover dumpage.

9. To see if Town will vote to widen Cherry and North Roads right away so two cars may meet safely and appropriate money for same.

10. To see what action the Town will take in regard to hiring Mr. Ireland for another year as Janitor of the Town Buildings and appropriate money for the same.

11. To see what action the Town will take in regard to painting the town buildings and appropriate money for the same.

12. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the installing of a street light between the residence of Mrs. Perry Richards and the Lafayette Road, and appropriate money for the same.

13. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this Eighteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-seven.

FORREST E. KNOWLES,
JOSHUA F. DRAKE,
IRVING W. MARSTON,

Selectmen of North Hampton, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FORREST E. KNOWLES,
JOSHUA F. DRAKE,
IRVING W. MARSTON,

Selectmen of North Hampton, N. H.

BUDGET FOR 1937

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 900.00
Town Officers' Expenses	600.00
Election and Registration	140.00
Town Hall	400.00
Police	250.00
Fire Department	800.00
Health Department	100.00
Town Road Maintenance	8,000.00
Snow Removal	1,500.00
Cutting Bushes	700.00
Street Lights	2,000.00
Library	710.00
Charities	1,500.00
Hydrants	700.00
Cemeteries	150.00
Parks and Playgrounds	25.00
Interest	150.00
State and County Tax	12,500.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Town Map	650.00
Miscellaneous	300.00
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Total	\$32,225.00

FORREST E. KNOWLES,
GEORGE L. SEAVEY,
WARREN B. MOULTON,
IRVING W. BROWN,
THOMAS B. WHENAL,
Budget Committee.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

INVENTORY

Resident Land and Buildings	\$870,915.00	
Non-Resident Land and Buildings	910,060.00	
Electric Poles, Wires and Fixtures	46,200.00	
Horses, 64	6,275.00	
Oxen, 6	400.00	
Cows, 356	16,750.00	
Neat Stock, 42	1,525.00	
Sheep, 42	210.00	
Hogs, 4	20.00	
Fowl, 634	385.00	
Portable Mills	2,800.00	
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks, 50	4,870.00	
Mills and Machinery	500.00	
Wood and Lumber	3,988.00	
Stock in Trade	14,805.00	
		\$1,879,703.00
Amount of Veterans' Exemptions	\$10,360.00	
Exemption for the Blind	1,000.00	11,360.00
		\$1,868,343.00
Resident Property Taxes	\$21,466.32	
Non-Resident Property Taxes	23,373.91	
		\$44,840.23
Total Amount of Property Taxes		\$44,840.23
475 Polls at \$2.00		950.00
National Bank Stock Taxes		35.00
		\$45,825.23
Taxes Committed to Collector		1,501.96
Precinct Taxes		

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING 1936

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 900.00
Town Officers' Expenses	600.00
Election and Registration	185.00
Town Hall	600.00
Police	350.00
Fire Department	600.00
Health Department	100.00
Town Road Maintenance	8,000.00
State Aid for Mill Road	2,790.00
Snow Removal	1,500.00
Cutting Bushes	1,000.00
Street Lights	2,300.00
Library	650.00
Charities	1,200.00
Hydrants	700.00
Cemeteries	150.00
Markers for Graves	25.00
Parks and Playgrounds	50.00
Interest	200.00
State and County Taxes	12,118.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Seacoast Regional Development Association	168.90
Town Map	600.00
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Total	\$34,936.90
School District	15,487.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1937

	<i>Appro- priations</i>	<i>Expendi- tures</i>	<i>Un- expended Balance</i>	<i>Over- draft</i>
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 900.00	\$ 885.00	\$ 15.00	\$
Town Officers' Expenses	600.00	511.54	88.46	
Election and Registration	185.00	250.00		65.00
Town Hall	600.00	818.04		218.04
Police	350.00	385.35		35.35
Fire Department	600.00	898.67		298.67
Health Department	100.00	22.50	77.50	
Town Road Maintenance	8,000.00	8,472.79		472.79
State Aid for Mill Road	2,790.00	2,801.67		11.67
Snow Removal	1,500.00	1,750.50		250.50
Cutting Bushes	1,000.00	1,008.30		8.30
Street Lights	2,300.00	2,310.36		10.36
Library	650.00	710.61		60.61
Charities	1,200.00	1,859.07		659.07
Hydrants	700.00	700.00		
Cemeteries	150.00	108.75	41.25	
Markers for Graves	25.00	25.00		
Parks and Playgrounds	50.00	27.25	22.75	
Interest	200.00	75.00	125.00	
State and County Taxes	12,118.00	12,118.06		.06
Memorial Day	150.00	143.82	6.18	
Seacoast Regional Dev.				
Ass'n	168.90	168.90		
Town Map	600.00	599.92	.08	
Totals	\$34,936.90	\$36,651.10	\$ 376.22	\$2,090.42
Net Overdraft of Appropriations			1,714.20	
			\$2,090.42	\$2,090.42

FINANCIAL REPORT

Of the Town of North Hampton in Rockingham County
For the Fiscal Year Ended January 31, 1937

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date February 5, 1937.

FORREST E. KNOWLES,
JOSHUA F. DRAKE,
IRVING W. MARSTON,
Selectmen.

GEORGE G. CARTER,
Treasurer.

Town of North Hampton, N. H.

BALANCE

Assets

Cash:

In hands of treasurer		\$ 2,061.65
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Other bills due Town:

(a) Note from Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fogg	\$ 369.35	
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(b) Due from Town Clerk on Auto Tax	.82	370.17
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Taxes bought by town	566.93	
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Uncollected Taxes:

(a) Levy of 1936	7,802.01	8,368.94
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Total Assets		<u>\$10,800.76</u>
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Grand Total		<u>\$10,800.76</u>
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Surplus, January 31, 1936	\$3,505.86	
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Surplus, January 31, 1937	3,041.37	
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Decrease of Surplus	\$ 464.49	
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SHEET

January 31, 1937

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to School Districts:

(a) Dog licenses \$ 272.39

(b) Balance of Appropriation 7,487.00

\$7,759.39

Total Liabilities

\$7,759.39

Excess of assets over liabilities

(Surplus)

3,041.37

Grand Total

\$10,800.76

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

<i>Description</i>	<i>Value</i>
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 4,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	250.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	5,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
Police Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	100.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	2,000.00
Equipment	5,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	3,000.00
Equipment	10,000.00
Materials and Supplies	200.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	11,500.00
Equipment	1,000.00
All lands and buildings acquired through Tax Collectors' deeds:	
Batchelder Estate	100.00
All other Property and Equipment:	
Gravel Pit	300.00
Total	<hr/> \$43,450.00

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

For Year Ending January 31, 1937

The licenses issued during the past year were as follows:

422 Automobile permits	\$1,524.98
121 Dog licenses	272.39
Filing fees for Town Meeting, March, 1936	7.00
Filing fees for September Primary	8.00

The vital statistics recorded were as follows:

Births	6
Marriages	8
Deaths	14

RUTH K. LEAVITT,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

For Year Ending January 31, 1937

1935 TAXES

Taxes reported as uncollected Jan. 31, 1936	\$ 8,165.06
Interest collected on 1935 taxes	332.10
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Total Payments to Treasurer	\$ 8,497.16

1936 TAXES

Committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	\$44,840.23
National Bank Stock Taxes	35.00
Poll Taxes	950.00
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Total Committed	\$45,825.23
Interest Collected	1.86
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	\$45,827.09
Total Payments to Treasurer	\$36,365.35
Discount	1,597.13
Poll Tax Abatements	38.00
Property Tax Abatements	24.60
Poll Taxes Uncollected	86.00
Property Taxes Uncollected	7,716.01
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	\$45,827.09

Check of Discount

Property Taxes paid up to	
July 5, 1936	\$31,954.32
Abated	12.00
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Subject to discount	\$31,942.32
5 per cent of above	1,597.12
Discount allowed	1,597.13
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Difference	0.01

EDWARD M. SMITH,
Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

Amount on hand February 1, 1936	\$ 6,705.43
Edward M. Smith, Tax Levy, 1935	8,165.06
Edward M. Smith, Tax Levy, 1936	36,365.35
State Interest and Dividends	2,892.81
State Savings Bank Tax	1,028.20
State Railroad Tax	139.50
State Relief	276.64
State Forest Fire Dept.	38.00
Town Clerk, Auto Tax	1,524.98
Town Clerk, Dog Tax	272.39
Town Clerk, Filing Fees	15.00
Edward M. Smith, Tax Lien	544.02
Edward M. Smith, Interest on Tax and Lien	402.07
Edward M. Smith, Discount and Abatement	1,659.73
Selectmen, Use of Town Machinery	347.60
Selectmen, Revolver Permits	1.75
Selectmen, Sale of Property	275.00
Selectmen, Sale of Junk	19.05
Selectmen, Sale of Road Oil	126.20
Selectmen, Refund from Little Boar's Head	41.25
Selectmen, Rebate from County O. A. A.	27.48
Selectmen, Boston & Maine Forest Fire	51.80
Selectmen, Stratham Fire	25.00
Selectmen, Plowing Snow	30.00
Selectmen, Hall Rent	46.00
Selectmen, Rebate from Jenney Co.	1.00
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	\$61,021.31

Payments

Paid:

State Tax	\$ 5,024.00
County Tax	7,094.06
Selectmen Orders	46,841.60
Cash on Hand	
January 31, 1937	2,061.65

\$61,021.31

Balance in New Hampshire Bank
Outstanding checks

\$ 2,217.02
155.37

\$ 2,061.65

	UNIFORM
Town of North Hampton	RECEIPTS AND
<i>Receipts</i>	

Current Revenue :

From Local Taxes :

Total taxes committed	
to collector, 1936	\$45,825.23
Less discounts and	
abatements, 1936	1,659.73
Less uncollected, 1936	7,802.01
Property taxes, current year,	
actually collected	\$35,502.49
Poll taxes, current year,	
actually collected	826.00
National Bank Stock taxes	35.00

Total of current year's	
collections	\$36,363.49
Property and poll taxes, previous	
years, actually collected	8,165.06
Tax sales redeemed	613.99

From State :

Reimbursement for town poor—	
old age asst.—soldiers' aid	\$ 276.64
Interest and dividend tax	2,892.81
Railroad tax	139.50
Savings Bank Tax	1,028.20
Fighting forest fires	38.00
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	4,375.15

CLASSIFICATION

PAYMENTS For the Year Ended January 31, 1937

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$ 885.00
Town officers' expenses	511.54
Election and registration expenses	250.00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	818.04

2,464.58

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department, including care of tramps	385.35
Fire department, including forest fires	898.67

1,284.02

Health:

Health department, including hospitals	22.50
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22.50

Highways and Bridges:

Snow Removal	\$1,750.50
Cutting Bushes	1,008.30
Town Maintenance	8,472.79
Street Lighting	2,310.36
Emergency Burning Town Dump	82.50

13,624.45

RECEIPTS AND

From County:

For support of poor	\$ 27.48	27.48
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From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	\$ 272.39	
Rent of town property	423.60	
Interest received on taxes (1936)	1.86	
Interest received on taxes (1935)	332.10	
		1,029.95

Registration of motor vehicles, 1936 permits	\$1,085.66	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1937 permits	439.32	

1,524.98

PAYMENTS—(Continued)

Libraries:

Libraries	\$ 710.61
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710.61

Charities:

Old age assistance	\$ 393.44
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Town poor	1,465.63
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1,859.07

Patriotic Purposes:

Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day	
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Exercises	\$ 143.82
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143.82

Recreation:

Parks and Playgrounds, including	
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Band Concerts	\$ 27.25
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27.25

Public Service Enterprises:

Appropriation to water and electric	
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utilities: Hydrants	\$ 700.00
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Markers for Cemeteries	25.00
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Cemeteries, including hearse hire	83.75
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808.75

Unclassified:

Advertising	\$ 168.90
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Damages and legal expenses	100.00
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Taxes brought by town	539.63
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Discounts and Abatements, 1936	15.75
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Discounts and Abatements, 1936	1,659.73
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2,484.01

RECEIPTS AND

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Refunds: Rebate on Oil and Police	\$ 42.25
Sale of town property acquired by tax deed	275.00
Town of Stratham Fire	25.00
Boston & Maine Fire	51.80
Sale of Junk	19.05
Sale of Road Oil	126.20
Revolver Permits	1.75
Filing Fees	15.00
Discounts and Abatements	1,659.73
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Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue	\$ 2,215.78
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Total Receipts From All Sources	\$54,315.88
Cash on hand February 1, 1936	6,705.43
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Grand Total	\$61,021.31

PAYMENTS—(Continued)

Interest:

Paid on long term notes	\$ 75.00
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Total Interest Payments	75.00
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Outlay for New Construction and

Permanent Improvements:

Highways and Bridges—

Town construction	\$ 2,801.67
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New equipment: Town Map	599.92
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Total Outlay Payments	3,401.59
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Indebtedness:

Payments on long term notes	\$5,000.00
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5,000.00

Payments to Other Governmental

Divisions:

Taxes paid to State	\$ 5,024.00
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Taxes paid to County	7,094.06
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Payments to School Districts	14,935.95
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	27,054.01
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$58,959.66
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Cash on hand January 31, 1937	2,061.65
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Grand Total	\$61,021.31
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TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Forrest E. Knowles, Chairman Selectmen	\$300.00
Joshua F. Drake, Selectman	100.00
Irving W. Marston, Selectman	100.00
George G. Carter, Treasurer	100.00
Edward M. Smith, Tax Collector	200.00
Edward M. Smith, Treasurer of Trust Funds	20.00
Ruth K. Leavitt, Town Clerk	25.00
Gordon S. Dow, Auditor	20.00
Marland D. Knowles, Auditor	20.00
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Total	\$885.00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

William T. Whenal, Stamps and Stamped Paper	\$ 12.00
C. B. Hoyt, Supplies	4.65
Francis Carter, Delivering Town Reports	10.14
Crosby Publishing Company, Printing Town Reports	125.00
A. W. Rowell, Dues for N. H. Assessors	2.00
Albert E. Locke, Town Officers' Bonds	45.00
Frank B. Nay, Record of Deaths	.50
Cole Printing Company, Treasurer's Report Blanks	1.35
Edward M. Smith, Box Rent	2.00
Batchelder's Book Store, Supplies	1.50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Company, Toll call to Concord	.55
John W. Perkins, Legal Services	37.20
John W. A. Green, Examining Records	14.00
John W. A. Green, Recording Deed	1.00
S. A. Dow & Son, Supplies	.30
William P. Fowler, Legal Services	10.00

F. E. Knowles, Traveling Expenses and Repairing Signs	16.00
William T. Whenal, Stamped Envelopes for Town Treasurer	10.98
George G. Carter, Treasurer's Expenses	15.00
Joshua F. Drake, Perambulating Greenland- North Hampton Line	2.00
F. E. Knowles, Perambulating Greenland- North Hampton Line and use of car	3.00
Ruth K. Leavitt, Auto Permits and Vital Statistics and expenses	126.55
Edward M. Smith, Tax Collector's Expenses	68.07
A. M. Fernald, M.D., Birth Certificates	2.75
Total	<hr/> \$511.54

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSE

R. I. Walden, Printing Ballots	\$ 7.00
Arthur A. Brown, Lunches for Election Officers	20.55
I. W. Marston, Moderator	15.00
Andrew S. Marston, Ballot Inspector	12.00
George G. Carter, Installing Voting Booths	1.50
S. A. Dow & Son, Supplies	2.85
Randall Press, Ballots	1.50
Hampton Publishing Company, Printing Checklists	25.00
Edward Perkins, Ballot Inspector	2.00
Walter H. Clark, Building Walk in Town Hall	2.60
Arthur E. Seavey, Salary for Two Years as Supervisor of Check List	40.00
Russell D. Moulton, Salary for Two Years as Supervisor of Check List	40.00
Fred L. Dow, Salary for Two Years as Supervisor of Check List	40.00
Thomas B. Whenal, Ballot Inspector	8.00

George L. Seavey, Ballot Inspector	16.00
Estelle L. Smith, Election Inspector	12.00
Raymond O. Hobbs, Police duty at Polls	4.00

Total	\$250.00
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TOWN HALL

N. H. Gas & Electric Company, Lights	\$ 27.44
George G. Carter, Janitor	16.25
S. A. Dow & Son, Supplies	14.10
Bertha Appleton, Insurance on Town Hall and Clock	187.20
Frank Ireland, Janitor	97.30
Walter H. Clark, Shingling and Repairing	451.00
F. E. Knowles, Keys	.75
Joshua F. Drake, Two Cords Stove Length Wood	24.00

Total	\$818.04
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POLICE DEPARTMENT

Charles L. Bachelder, Transporting Vagrants	\$ 1.00
Stanley Carter, Transporting Vagrants	1.50
F. E. Knowles, Painting and Repairing Signs	5.00
Elwell Tarlton, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	17.50
Leon Drew, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	14.25
Raymond Hobbs, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	7.75
Stanley Carter, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	10.00
Hayden Brown, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	40.25
Harrison Dalton, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	34.00
Page Garland, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	5.00
Arthur A. Brown, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	16.00
Evan D. Brown, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	24.00
Wilbur Drew, Police duty at Little Boar's Head	8.00
Elwell Tarlton, Regular Police duty	68.10

Raymond O. Hobbs, Regular Police duty	38.00
Evan D. Brown, Transporting Burglar	5.00
Arthur A. Brown, Regular Police Duty	90.00
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Total	\$385.35

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Hobbs Insurance Company, Insurance	
on Fire Truck	\$ 18.75
George G. Carter, Janitor Service	20.00
Warren B. Moulton, Setting Glass in Firehouse	
at L. B. H.	1.00
S. P. Garland, Labor and Rocks on Water Hole	10.00
Lamprey Brothers, Coal	41.25
Payrolls	283.03
Frank Ireland, Janitor Service	36.00
N. H. Gas & Electric Company, Lights	22.26
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone	48.35

Repairs

Perkins & Drew	20.30
Gale's Garage	4.60
Arthur H. Blanchard, Repairs on Pressure Gauge	3.65
Walter H. Clark, Repairs on Boiler	11.35
Walter H. Clark, Rebuilding Ladder	10.50

New Equipment

Perkins & Drew, Tires and Battery	61.75
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Company,	
200 Feet Hose	186.20
D. B. Smith & Company, Four Indian Pump	
Tanks	24.90

Supplies

S. A. Dow & Son	48.45
John Janvrin	2.17
R. M. Wood	30.30
Arthur H. Blanchard	4.56
Perkins & Drew	6.71
Gould Service Station	2.59
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Total	\$898.67

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

George G. Carter, Fumigating	\$ 2.50
George G. Carter, Salary as Health Officer	20.00
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Total	\$22.50

SNOW REMOVAL

Elmer J. Smith, Payrolls	\$1,750.50
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CUTTING BUSHES

Elmer J. Smith, Payrolls	\$1,008.30
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TOWN MAINTENANCE

Elmer J. Smith, Payrolls	\$8,472.79
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EMERGENCY

Burning Town Dump	\$82.50
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STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

State Treasurer	\$2,801.67
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STREET LIGHTING

N. H. Gas & Electric Company	\$2,310.36
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LIBRARIES

Margaret B. Seavey, Librarian	\$250.00
Frank Ireland, Janitor	75.00
S. A. Dow & Son, Supplies	2.35
Edward M. Smith, Supplies and Expenses	361.10
N. H. Gas & Electric Co.	22.16
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Total	\$710.61

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Old Age Assistance	\$393.44
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TOWN POOR

Rockingham County Farm	\$569.47
Lamprey Brothers, Coal	39.75
Dr. Alice Chesley, Medical Services	1.00
Albert Pearson, Wood	8.00
Portsmouth Hospital, Operation	136.35
William T. Whenal, Stamps and Stamped Paper	5.00
Annie M. Keene, Milk	2.48
Dr. A. M. Fernald, Medical Services	8.00
S. A. Dow & Son, Groceries	16.00
Dr. H. B. Carpenter, Medical Services	225.00
Henry N. Clark, Stove Parts	11.00
Roy Miller, Wood	5.00
Richard Batchelder, Hauling Wood	2.00
F. E. Knowles, Expenses as Overseer of Poor	35.00
Roy R. Rollins, Groceries	246.67
Dr. H. A. White, Medical Services	50.95
Dr. Oscar B. Gilbert, Medical Services	29.40
Dr. H. I. Durgin, Medical Services	37.50
Boardman & Norton, Medical Supplies	12.56
Herman L. Norton, Wood	9.50
Seavey Brothers, Wood	15.00
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Total	\$1,465.63

MEMORIAL DAY

American Flag Company, Markers	\$ 4.39
Emery's Greenhouse, Geraniums	2.50
Higgins Ice Cream Company, Ice Cream	6.40
Gerald McCulloh, Services	5.00
Raymond O. Hobbs, Geraniums	10.53
Hampton Post American Legion, Services	5.00
Frank Booma Post Band	110.00
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Total	\$143.82

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

S. A. Dow & Son, Supplies	\$ 1.75
Frank Ireland, Labor	8.00
Raymond O. Hobbs, Labor	4.50
Roger Lovett, Mowing Lawn	2.00
Albert E. Locke, Labor on Tools	1.00
Raymond O. Hobbs, Trimming Trees	10.00
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Total	\$27.25

HYDRANT SERVICE

Hampton Water Works Company	\$700.00
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CEMETERIES

Harry C. Marston, Labor	\$16.75
Edward M. Smith, Trustee, Appropriation	65.00
Edward M. Smith, Executing Deed	2.00
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Total	\$83.75

MARKERS FOR GRAVES

Edward M. Smith, Markers for Graves	\$25.00
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LAND DAMAGE

Harry C. Hewitt, Land bought by Town	\$100.00
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TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Edward M. Smith	\$539.63
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DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Discounts and Abatements, 1936	\$1,659.73
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Discounts and Abatements, 1935	15.75
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Total	<hr/> \$1,675.48
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TEMPORARY LOANS

N. H. National Bank	\$5,000.00
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INTEREST

Interest on long Term Note	\$75.00
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ADVERTISING

Seacoast Regional Development Association	\$168.90
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TOWN MAP

Edward M. Smith, Labor and Expenses	\$599.92
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STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

State Tax	\$ 5,024.00
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County Tax	7,094.06
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Total	<hr/> \$12,118.06
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PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Edward M. Smith, Treasurer	\$14,935.95
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REPORT OF HIGHWAY AGENT

Received from Treasurer	\$11,314.09
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Expenditures

Town Maintenance	\$8,472.79
Snow	1,750.50
Bushes	1,008.30
Burning Dump	82.50

\$11,314.09

Received from Treasurer on Order of
Selectmen:

1936

Feb. 6	\$169.29
Feb. 13	106.80
Feb. 19	379.58
Feb. 27	98.50
Mar. 5	105.12
Mar. 18	176.18
Mar. 26	77.18
Apr. 2	155.99
Apr. 9	127.83
Apr. 16	137.72
Apr. 22	162.50
Apr. 30	279.67
May 6	308.46
May 14	426.36
May 21	213.33
May 27	725.29
June 3	566.33
June 11	506.97
June 18	335.59
June 25	117.98

July 16	101.74
Aug. 13	86.25
Aug. 19	3,709.01
Aug. 26	385.31
Sept. 2	261.95
Sept. 10	308.16
Sept. 24	39.25
Sept. 30	83.23
Oct. 15	19.30
Oct. 22	24.00
Nov. 13	74.37
Nov. 20	157.49
Nov. 27	101.75
Dec. 3	215.25
Dec. 10	146.75
Dec. 23	40.12
Dec. 31	199.75
1937	
Jan. 14	85.91
Jan. 28	97.83
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	\$11,314.09

TOWN MAINTENANCE

Trucks:

Brown, Arthur W.	\$195.00
Brown, Irving W.	112.50
Carter, Harry E.	36.00
Garland, Samuel P.	138.00
Lamprey Bros.	111.00
Norton, Herman L.	145.50
Pearson, Albert C.	141.00
Smith, Elmer J.	525.00

Labor:

Allen, Allison A.	1.00
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Barton, Chauncey	8.00
Batchelder, George D.	61.00
Brown, Arthur J.	22.00
Brown, Evan D.	76.00
Collins, Charles	28.75
Corliss, John	13.00
Corliss, Martin J.	12.00
Cornelius, Edward P.	24.00
Dalton, Charles C.	8.00
Dalton, Harrison W.	243.25
Degen, Albert	17.50
Dow, Abram C.	20.00
Drew, Leon S.	24.50
Drew, Wilbur S.	25.00
Fire Department	20.00
Frost, George P.	135.00
Garland, Robert	28.50
Garland, Page	20.00
Garland, Samuel P.	15.00
Geis, Andrew	53.00
Goss, Richard I.	2.00
Grant, Harold I.	24.00
Grant, C. Herbert	224.50
Hendry, Clinton	12.00
Hendry, Frank W.	101.00
Hobbs, Raymond O.	68.00
Ireland, Frank A.	30.50
Knowles, Herbert S.	100.50
Knowles, Leon M. Jr.	11.50
Kopanski, Walter	\$ 22.00
Leavitt, Fred C.	204.50
Lynch, John	4.00
MacKenzie, Angus J.	22.00
Mann, Earle	8.00

Marsh, James	38.00
Marston, Edward S.	20.00
Moulton, G. William	57.50
Plumb, Loren A.	69.00
Smith, Elmer J.	483.75
Taylor, Frank A.	10.00
Todd, Fred A.	22.00
Whenal, John	142.50
Whenal, William	36.00
Supplies, Etc.:	
Bank Charge	9.00
Barrett Company	2,009.19
Brown, Irving W.	26.59
Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co.	55.50
Carter, Harry E.	74.62
Central Construction Co.	20.00
Conant Machine & Steel Co.	11.75
Dearborn's Motor Express	.70
Dow, S. A. & Son	33.69
Hampton Publishing Co.	11.00
Jenney Mfg Co.	20.25
Koppers Products Co.	1,797.71
Laurie, Peter	43.03
Lamprey Bros.	1.88
Lane, G. W. & C. A.	9.84
Locke, Albert E.	11.65
Mack, George K.	7.74
Marston, Carrie A.	14.85
Merrill, J. H.	30.00
Mitchell, Robert L.	87.84
Parker-Danner Co.	13.00
Pearson, John	79.05
Perkins & Drew	19.32
Prison Industries	28.08
Railway Express	1.30

Rand, Seth E.	20.06
Seavey Bros.	47.70
Traffic Equipment Co.	6.00
Watkins, Frederick W.	8.70

\$8,472.79

BUSHES

Trucks—Tractor:

Leavitt, Fred C.	\$39.00
Garland, Samuel P.	33.00
Smith, Elmer J.	8.00

Labor:

Allen, Allison A.	48.00
Batchelder, George D.	50.00
Brown, Arthur A.	5.00
Brown, Evan D.	16.00
Brown, Hayden	51.25
Corliss, John	16.00
Dalton, Harrison W.	42.50
Dow, Abram C.	50.00
Fogg, Clarence L.	50.00
Frost, George P.	12.00
Geis, Andrew	51.50
Ireland, Frank A.	64.00
Locke, Sperry H.	48.00
Lynch, John J.	51.50
MacKenzie, Angus J.	69.00
Marston, Edward C.	4.00
Page, Edwin	20.00
Plumb, Loren A.	33.50
Smith, Elmer J.	78.00
Todd, Fred A.	51.25
Walker, Gilman	51.25
Whenal, John	36.00

Supplies, Etc.:

Bank Charge	.60
Dow, S. A. & Son	11.89
Locke, Albert E.	17.06

\$1,008.30

SNOW WORK

Trucks:

Garland, Samuel P.	\$138.75
Norton, Herman L.	12.00
Pearson, Albert C.	165.70
Smith, Elmer J.	70.00

Labor:

Allen, Allison A.	23.00
Barton, Chauncey	12.00
Blaney, Kenneth	8.00
Carlson, Ernest	4.00
Carter, Wesley	3.00
Corliss, Martin J.	25.75
Dalton, Harrison W.	111.63
Degen, Albert	4.00
Drew, Wilbur S.	4.00
Fogg, Clarence L.	6.00
Frost, George P.	18.00
Garland, Page	1.50
Garland, Robert	9.50
Garland, Samuel P.	1.00
Geis, Andrew	18.00
Grant, C. Herbert	59.50
Hendry, Clinton	14.50
Hendry, Frank W.	6.00
Hobbs, Raymond O.	8.00
Ireland, Frank A.	15.25
Knowles, Herbert S.	4.00

Knowles, Stanley J.	3.00
Leavitt, Fred C.	22.00
Moulton, Gilman	2.00
Moulton, G. William	22.00
Moulton, Russell D.	5.00
Nason, William	.75
Pearson, Albert C.	16.00
Perkins, Marvin	7.00
Perkins, Percy	2.00
Plumb, Loren A.	11.00
Seavey, John	4.00
Seymour, William	4.00
Smith, Elmer J.	242.25
Whenal, John	6.00
Whenal, William	10.00
Supplies, Etc.:	
Bank Charge	2.45
Boston & Maine R. R.	1.29
Clark-Wilcox Co.	220.08
Dearborn's Motor Express	.50
Dow, S. A. & Son	23.09
Files & O'Keefe Co.	29.00
Harrison, Fred	113.76
Hilliard & Kimball	.75
Hobb's Insurance Agency	22.40
Jenney Mfg. Company	55.48
Laurie, Peter	13.21
Locke, Albert E.	5.03
Mack, George K.	2.28
McReel's Garage	2.55
Merrill, J. H.	40.00
Mitchell's Express	1.00
Mitchell, Robert L.	14.40
Parker, Danner Co.	7.50
Pearson, John	8.10

Perkins & Drew	10.00
Perkins, P. I. & Co.	24.25
Pickering's Express	.75
Railway Express Agency	1.11
Watkins, Frederick W.	20.89
Yeaton, H. A.	30.50

\$1,750.50

BURNING DUMP AT PAWN PATH

Brown, Evan D.	\$15.50
Carter, Stanley	2.50
Dalton, Harrison W.	18.50
Drew, Leon S.	22.25
Drew, Wilbur S.	4.50
Garland, Samuel P.	7.50
Leavitt, Fred C.	6.00
Tarlton, Elwell	5.75

\$82.50

TRUST FUNDS, TOWN OF NORTH HAMPTON

<i>Date of Creation</i>	<i>Name of Fund and Donor</i>	<i>Purpose of Creation</i>	<i>How Invested</i>	<i>Amt. Prin.</i>	<i>Rate Int.</i>
1894	Center Cemetery Fund, John W. F. Hobbs	General care of cemetery	Strafford Savings Bank, Dover	\$1,000	2½
1894	Center Cemetery Fund, Town	General care of cemetery	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	1,000	2½
1933	Center Cemetery Fund, Mary A. Rand	General care of cemetery	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	500	2½
1911	East Cemetery Fund, Individuals and Town	General care of cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester	1,000	3
1911	East Cemetery Fund, Individuals and Town	General care of cemetery	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord	800	3
1913	Jonathan French Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester	100	3
1913	William F. Preckle Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord	100	3
1915	John E. Leavitt Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord	125	3
1916	George H. Lamprey Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester	300	3
1917	S. Oliver Lamprey Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester	100	3
1918	John W. Hobbs Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord	100	3
1920	Richard Taylor Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	100	2½
1921	Charles S. Page Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	100	2½
1921	John W. Warner Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	100	2½
1921	Charles E. Seavey Fund, Hattie S. Seavey	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	100	2½
1921	John F. French Fund, Ellen F. Healey	Perpetual care of burial lot	Piscataqua Savings Bank, Portsmouth	200	2½
1921	Jonathan P. Robinson Fund, Horace M. Lane	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	100	2½
1923	Henry S. Marston Fund, Payson H. and Katie W. Marston	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	100	2½
1923	George O. Moulton Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	100	2½
1924	G. Roscoe Marsh Fund, Lurana R. Marsh	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	200	2½
1924	Nathaniel T. Ridlon Fund, Edwin T. Ridlon	Perpetual care of burial lot	Piscataqua Savings Bank, Portsmouth	50	2½

1924	Otis S. Brown Fund, O. S. Brown & Ella Herron	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	150	2½
1927	Emily A. Preckle Fund	Perpetual care of Samuel Drake and S. J. Drake lots	Piscataqua Savings Bank, Portsmouth	\$ 200	2½
1927	Charles E. Proschold Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100	2½
1927	Thomas B. Shaw Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100	2½
1928	Joseph O. Hobbs Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Piscataqua Savings Bank, Portsmouth	500	2½
1928	Freeman Drake Fund, Nellie F. Drake	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	100	2½
		Remainder of income, if any, for care of Edward A. Sammis lot			
1929	George E. Taylor Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Savings Bank	200	2½
1933	Samuel Rand Fund, Mary A. Rand	Perpetual care of burial lot	Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	500	2½
1934	Joseph B. Jenness Fund, Howard M. Jenness	Perpetual care of burial lot	Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester	100	3
1935	Lizzie D. Smith Fund	Perpetual care of burial lot	Piscataqua Savings Bank, Portsmouth	150	2½
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		Total Cemetery Trust Funds		\$8,375	
		Manchester Savings Bank		\$1,650	3
		Piscataqua Savings Bank, Portsmouth		750	2½
		New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord		600	3
		Loan and Trust Savings Bank, Concord		500	3
		Exeter Banking Company		1,118.27	3
		Merrimack River Savings Bank, Manchester (In liquidation)		520.94	
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1918	Centennial Hall Trust Fund, J. W. F. Hobbs	Upkeep of Centennial Hall	Reserve for possible loss in Merrimack River Savings Bank	\$5,139.21	
				139.21	
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		Net amount of Centennial Hall Fund		5,000.00	
		Add Total of Cemetery Trust Funds		8,375.00	
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		Grand Total		\$13,375.00	

TRUST FUNDS

Town of North Hampton
TREASURER'S REPORT
Year Ending January 31, 1937
Centennial Hall Fund

Received Interest:

Manchester Savings Bank	\$49.86
Piscataqua Savings Bank	18.87
New Hampshire Savings Bank	18.00
Loan and Trust Savings Bank	15.22
Exeter Banking Company	32.78

\$134.73

Paid Treasurer of School District 101.95

Reserve for possible loss in Merrimack

River Saving Bank \$32.78

CEMETERIES

Centre Cemetery Fund

Balance from last year	\$70.91
Received from Town, Appropriation	50.00
Interest, Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Co.	37.72
Interest, Strafford Savings Bank	25.00

\$183.63

Paid Harry C. Marston, Superintendent:

General Care of Cemetery 113.58

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1937 \$70.05

Jonathan French Fund

Balance from last year	\$6.16	
Interest on fund to date	3.02	
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		\$9.18
Expenditures		4.00
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Cash on hand		\$5.18

William F. Preckle Fund

Balance from last year	\$6.49	
Interest on fund to date	5.56	
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		\$12.05
Expenditures		5.00
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Cash on hand		\$7.05

John E. Leavitt Fund

Balance from last year	\$10.13	
Expenditures	4.00	
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Cash on hand		\$6.13

George H. Lamprey Fund

Balance from last year	\$12.80	
Interest on fund to date	9.06	
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		\$21.86
Expenditures		8.68
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Cash on hand		\$13.18

S. Oliver Lamprey Fund

Balance from last year	\$5.93	
Expenditures	2.00	
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Cash on hand		\$3.93

John W. Hobbs Fund

Balance from last year	\$5.82	
Interest on fund to date	3.00	
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		\$8.82
Expenditures		3.00
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Cash on hand		\$5.82

Richard Taylor Fund

Balance from last year	\$3.16	
Interest on fund to date	9.03	
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		\$12.19
Expenditures		2.00
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Cash on hand		\$10.19

Charles S. Page Fund

Balance from last year	\$3.99	
No expenditures		
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Cash on hand		\$3.99

John W. Warner Fund

Balance from last year	\$7.02	
Expenditures	2.50	
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Cash on hand		\$4.52

Charles E. Seavey Fund

Balance from last year	\$5.63	
Expenditures	2.50	
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Cash on hand		\$3.13

John F. French Fund

Balance from last year	\$12.13	
Interest on fund to date	5.03	
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		\$17.16
Expenditures		5.00
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Cash on hand		\$12.16

Jonathan P. Robinson Fund

Balance from last year	\$4.20	
Interest on fund to date	2.51	
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		\$6.71
Expenditures		2.00
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Cash on hand		\$4.71

Henry S. Marston Fund

Balance from last year	\$11.71	
Interest on fund to date	9.03	
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		\$20.74
Expenditures		2.50
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Cash on hand		\$18.24

G. Roscoe Marsh Fund

Balance from last year	\$19.18	
Expenditures	3.50	
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Cash on hand		\$15.68

Emily A. Preckle Fund

Balance from last year	\$25.30	
Expenditures	2.50	
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Cash on hand		\$22.80

Charles E. Proschold Fund

Balance from last year	\$9.95	
Expenditures	2.00	
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Cash on hand		\$7.95

Thomas B. Shaw Fund

Balance from last year	\$7.81	
Expenditures	2.50	
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Cash on hand		\$5.31

Joseph O. Hobbs Fund

Balance from last year	\$38.29	
Interest on fund to date	12.58	
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		\$50.87
Expenditures		9.00
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Cash on hand		\$41.87

Freeman Drake Fund

Balance from last year	\$4.87	
Expenditures	2.00	
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Cash on hand		\$2.87

George E. Taylor Fund

Balance from last year	\$5.15	
Interest on fund to date	10.97	
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		\$16.12
Expenditures		4.50
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Cash on hand		\$11.62

Samuel Rand Fund

Balance from last year	\$27.73	
Interest on fund to date	12.57	
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		\$40.30
Expenditures		7.00
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Cash on hand		\$33.30

Joseph B. Jenness Fund

Balance from last year	\$0.06	
Interest on fund to date	3.02	
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		\$3.08
Expenditures		1.00
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Cash on hand		\$2.08

Lizzie D. Smith Fund

Interest on fund to date	\$4.39
No expenditures	
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Cash on hand	\$4.39

East Cemetery Fund

Balance from last year	\$9.50
Interest, Amoskeag Savings Bank	30.23
Interest, New Hampshire Savings Bank	24.00
Special Appropriation from Town	15.00
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	\$78.73
Paid Harry C. Marston, Superintendent:	
General care of cemetery	58.00
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Cash on hand	\$20.73

George O. Moulton Fund

Balance from last year	\$3.35
Interest on fund to date	2.51
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	\$5.86
Expenditures	2.50
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Cash on hand	\$3.36

Nathaniel T. Ridlon Fund

Balance from last year	\$2.42
Interest on fund to date	1.26
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	\$3.68
Expenditures	2.50
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Cash on hand	\$1.18

Otis S. Brown Fund

Balance from last year	\$12.42	
Expenditures	2.50	
Cash on hand		\$9.92

SUMMARY OF CASH ON HAND

Center Cemetery Fund	\$70.05
Jonathan French Fund	5.18
William F. Preckle Fund	7.05
John E. Leavitt Fund	6.13
George H. Lamprey Fund	13.18
S. Oliver Lamprey Fund	3.93
John W. Hobbs Fund	5.82
Richard Taylor Fund	10.19
Charles S. Page Fund	3.99
John W. Warner Fund	4.52
Charles E. Seavey Fund	3.13
John F. French Fund	12.16
Jonathan P. Robinson Fund	4.71
Henry S. Marston Fund	18.24
G. Roscoe Marsh Fund	15.68
Emily A. Preckle Fund	22.80
Charles E. Proschold Fund	7.95
Thomas B. Shaw Fund	5.31
Joseph O. Hobbs Fund	41.87
Freeman Drake Fund	2.87
George E. Taylor Fund	11.62
Samuel Rand Fund	33.30
Joseph B. Jenness Fund	2.08
Lizzie D. Smith Fund	4.39
East Cemetery Fund	20.73

George O. Moulton Fund	3.36
Nathaniel T. Ridlon Fund	1.18
Otis S. Brown Fund	9.92

Deposited in N. H. National Bank, Portsmouth	\$351.34
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EDWARD M. SMITH,
Treasurer of Trust Funds.

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer of Trust Funds, and Highway Agent for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1937, and certify them to be correct with proper vouchers attached.

GORDON S. DOW,
M. D. KNOWLES,
Auditors.

February 15, 1937.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES

During the past year the additions to the library total exactly 200 volumes, classified as follows: Adult fiction, 116; juvenile fiction, 38; adult non-fiction, 42, and juvenile non-fiction, 4. In addition we have purchased the Columbia Encyclopedia, the need for which has been long felt.

There has been a substantial increase in circulation and the weekly issues now average about 195 volumes. In addition to the periodicals which have been provided for the past few years, Mrs. Mary Folsom has furnished the library with "Fortune," and "Home Garden," and another friend of the library has given the "National Geographic." Substantial gifts of books have been made by the T. N. T. Club and the Parent Teacher's Association.

The children are showing a great interest in the juvenile books and efforts will be made to devote a substantial proportion of our book budget toward providing for their needs.

The drainage of the library basement which has been a troublesome problem for many years has been solved, as we hope, by the building of a sump pit in the cellar and the installation of an automatic electric pump.

Mrs. Margaret B. Seavey has been appointed as our librarian and has given faithful and efficient service.

The total number of volumes in the library is about 3,670; classified as follows: adult fiction, 1,775; juvenile fiction, 363; adult non-fiction, 1,275; juvenile non-fiction, 82, and reference books, 175.

We have exceeded our budget appropriation by \$60.61, chiefly on account of installing the electric pump, which was an emergency expense, and an unexpected increase of \$47.12 in the cost of janitor service.

The money provided by the town has been expended as follows:

Salary of Librarian	\$250.00
New Books	204.27
Periodicals	17.50
Fuel	43.60
Lighting	22.16
Janitor Service	97.12
Installing Drainage Pump	58.37
Mowing Library Field	3.00
Miscellaneous Supplies and Expenses	14.59
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	\$710.61

In addition to this amount there have been collected book fines amounting to five dollars, and the money has been used for postage and other expenses incurred in borrowing book collections from the state library.

We estimate the expenses for the coming year as follows, with recommendation that the amount be appropriated:

Salary of Librarian	\$250.00
New Books	225.00
Magazines	20.00
Fuel and Lighting	70.00
Janitor	75.00
Insurance	60.00
Repairs and Miscellaneous	30.00
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	\$730.00

DOROTHY E. HOBBS,
FRED L. DOW,
EDWARD M. SMITH,
Trustees.

FIRE REPORT

For the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1937

Feb. 24	Earl Spear.	Chimney
Mar. 3	William Whenal.	Chimney
Mar. 3	Fred L. Cotton.	Farm chimney
Mar. 23	Anna Keene.	Grass fire
Mar. 29	Mrs. E. V. Casselman.	Grass fire caused by bare wire in tree
Apr. 6	Louise Knowles.	Chimney fire
Apr. 22	Annie Wingate.	False alarm
Apr. 24	Cedric Dustin.	Chimney fire
May 2	Rocky Nook Bridge.	Forest fire
May 8	Lafayette Road near Hackett's Garage.	Woods
May 22	Hewitt's.	Grass fire
May 27	Oliver Lamprey's.	Defective wiring
June 23	Stratham-North Hampton line.	Forest fire
Aug. 18	Fern Road.	Harry Carter's woods
Aug. 22	Irving Stanley's shed,	total loss
Sept. 16	Wood fire.	Mill Road
Sept. 28	Truck fire,	Lafayette Road
Oct. 8	Fred Robbins,	Lafayette Road, total loss
Oct. 13	Tree fire.	Mill Road
Oct. 7	A. T. Fuller's barn.	Hay
Nov. 14	Paul Hescock.	Grass fire
Nov. 16	Robert Mitchell.	Chimney
Nov. 18	Edward Marston's residence,	total loss
Jan. 2	James Leavitt.	Grass fire
Jan. 16	Charles Smith,	Stratham. Residence

Expenditure of the Fire Department will be found under Selectmen's Report, and Receipts under Treasurer's Report.

It seems as though at this time we should review the condition of our fire equipment, and make plans for the

future building up of the department, until it reaches a point where it will more adequately protect property within the town. In all probability the average townsman does not know of the present condition of our fire department, nor the possibilities it has for development.

We have at the present time the following equipment:

1. One Dodge Graham Truck purchased in 1925 at an approximate cost of \$5100.00. This fire truck is known as and used as a triple combination engine, viz: hose wagon, booster pump (which are converted chemical tanks) and a pumper.

2. We have at the present time approximately 1200 feet of hose, 750 feet of 2½ inch and 450 feet of 1½ inch.

3. Seven Indian pumps for forest fire work, three of these pumps were replaced this year with new tanks still using the old pumps taken from tanks that had rusted out.

4. This comprises our total equipment except for several old style acid and soda extinguishers which cannot be used today as we have no method for transporting them. These extinguishers, however, are to be placed in places of advantage throughout the town, and will be charged annually by the department.

The condition of our equipment is such that it will not be long before it will have to be replaced. Repairs involving a large expenditure of money on our old truck seem inadvisable, according to advice received from men qualified to judge, due to the age and wrong fundamental construction of the truck.

In the first place the Dodge Truck was not designed primarily for the fire engine work. Any engine and transmission used in pleasure cars is not constructed right for fire engine work and cannot stand up long under the work

demanding of it in driving a water pump of the capacity of the pump in our present truck.

The pump itself of necessity is worn badly and has lost considerable of its efficiency. It would cost \$200.00 or more to resurface this pump and to replace worn gears. This would put the pump in first class shape, but we would still have a motor which is badly worn, and the power plant is two-thirds of any fire engine. In fact the engine in our truck was a reconditioned engine when we purchased it, and no one knows the actual mileage it has been. A built up truck can be purchased cheap but it does not pay in the long run.

The hose we have is not enough for adequate protection. One-third of it will be twelve years old this year and the average life of fire hose is ten years. Fire hose should be purchased from time to time so that it always can be relied upon.

PROPOSAL OF THE DEPARTMENT

1. The department recommends that the town purchase apparatus and equipment to put the department in first class shape. From the best advice obtainable the best course to take would be as follows:

To purchase a good triple combination pumper with a capacity of five hundred gallons. A good pumper purchased from a major fire equipment company would cost around \$6,000. Pumpers can be bought from \$3,800.00 to \$4,000.00 but it seems a waste of money to buy some built up job that cannot be completely guaranteed by any one manufacturer. A good fire truck will last twenty years under ordinary care. Many towns and cities have trucks twenty years old but they were good ones when purchased and not some makeshift affair.

2. The department further proposes that the town purchase an additional 1000 to 1200 feet of new hose to equip a new truck, and that the annual budget be large enough to enable the department to purchase new hose and small equipment when it is worn out. The town needs 2000 to 3000 feet of hose to reach some of the available water supplies.

3. Minor repairs will be made on the old truck so that we can have the use of it as a hose wagon and booster pump for brush fires. This truck would probably last quite a few years if it was relieved of some of the strain demanded when pumping through a long line of hose.

4. By the issuing of bonds to be paid off over a period of years the tax rate would not be materially higher for any one year, and at the same time the town would have the benefit of the added protection.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank members of the department and the townspeople for the co-operation they have given the fire department throughout the past year. Many members of the department have given much of their time and labor in working on the fire equipment and fire house, and they certainly will appreciate any help that the townspeople can give.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON S. DOW,
Chief.

SCHOOL REPORT

THE REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of North Hampton:

I herewith submit to you my seventh report as superintendent of your schools.

The North Hampton Schools opened on September 9, 1936, with a total enrollment of seventy-eight, an increase of three pupils over the Fall registration of 1935. The increase was caused by a larger enrollment in the Little River school which registered thirteen pupils.

Three new teachers are in charge of the work this year. Miss Swinnerton, who has served so acceptably as Principal of the Centre School, resigned at the end of last year to take advance work in the Plymouth Normal School. She was succeeded by Mr. Newell Paire, a graduate in the four year course of the Keene Normal School in June 1936. We believe it is particularly advantageous for our boys, both those going to high school and those whose school life will close with our local schools, that they should come into contact with a man teacher in North Hampton. Mr. Paire is developing into a successful teacher and we predict for him an outstanding career in his chosen profession. Miss Schurman, in charge of the middle grade room, is a teacher of successful experience in those grades. The scholarship of her room is tested by the same standardized examination as in former years with results guaranteeing the completion of a year's work by June 1937.

Mr. George Wilson is the Music Supervisor for the current year. Without taking an undue amount of time from other school subjects, he has awakened the pupils not only to an appreciation of melody but to an interest in the reading and interpretation of music. His own enthusiasm is

clearly evidenced by the eagerness of the children to give their best in response to his endeavors. The operetta, presented in January by the pupils of the school, bears witness to the high standards we expect from his work. ing and interpretation of music. His own enthusiasm is

Your school is a busy workshop with all—teachers and pupils—working in harmony and mutual confidence toward the completion of a standard year's work.

This year, we are devoting special attention to the teaching of Spelling. Two definite steps have been taken toward increased efficiency in this skill. Samples of seventeen different and modern spelling texts were obtained and submitted to the teachers of this Supervisory Union for their comments and criticisms. It was the opinion of a large majority that for interest, teachability, and skillful application of the words studied, the Modern Life Spellers were the best. These have therefore been ordered for all grades in North Hampton. Another approach to the same problem is to be made in that all papers written by pupils in any subject must be correct as to spelling before credit for the work will be given.

The report card is, in many cases, the only point of contact between the school and the home. It can, at best, give the parent but a meager idea of the child's relationship to his school—his work, his play, his contacts with other pupils, his ever changing attitudes and habits. As an attempt to bring the parent and school closer together I am recommending the adoption of a new report card. This card should include, in addition to the numerical marks, an analysis of the pupil's difficulties, his special interests and abilities as well as his personal and social characteristics.

Would it not be well for North Hampton to consider the employing of a supervisor in Drawing? Such a supervisor, if engaged in conjunction with other towns, would be relatively inexpensive and would assist greatly in bringing to

our children the advantages enjoyed by pupils in the larger towns and cities. While drawing is not considered one of the fundamentals of education, the returns in terms of pleasure, powers of critical observation and self-expression would be well worth the cost.

North Hampton is doing a perfectly satisfactory work in teaching the children mental skills and attitudes. Is it not time to attempt training in manual skills? The Center School has room for the establishment of a course in elementary woodwork. This course would not only acquaint the boys with the simpler phases of carpentry but would impart to them an interest in school work that would be reflected in the more formalized subjects. Many a boy who finds difficulty with his mathematics or geography or history would do well in such a course and on occasion might find much of real worth to him. Something could also be done for the girls through an elementary cooking or sewing course. Education in a democracy must not be along a narrow path if the nation is to hold its place with other highly educated peoples.

The customary statistics follow. They are of value in showing the school opportunity offered by the school district and the degree to which the children took advantage of that opportunity.

For your continued help to me, as a board, I wish to express my appreciation. I believe North Hampton has schools of which its people are proud.

Respectfully submitted,

ROY W. GILLMORE,
Superintendent of Schools.

January 28, 1937.

SCHOOL STATISTICS

1935-1936

ATTENDANCE

School	Grade	Teacher	Av. Mem.	No. Tardy	% of Attend.	Attend. Roll of Honor
Jr. High, 7-8,		Minnie A. Swinnerton	19	8	94.	3
Interm., 4-6,		Frances W. Goodhue	25	9	95.	3
Primary, 1-3,		Louise T. MacKenzie	19	8	93.	1
East, 1-6,		Mary A. Lamprey	10	2	97.	2
Music,		Esther B. Coombs				
Totals or averages			73	27	95.	9

PROMOTIONS, JUNE 1936

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Promoted	5	6	11	6	13	11	4	16	72
Not Promoted	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	5
Average Age	6.0	7.6	8.1	9.11	10.6	11.11	12.6	13.8	

ENROLLMENT FALL TERM, 1936

School	Teacher	Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Jr. High,	Newell Paire								11	5	16
Interm.,	Dorothy Schurman					9	7	11			27
Primary,	Louise MacKenzie		10	4	8						22
East,	Mary A. Lamprey		2	3		4		4			13
Music,	George Wilson										
Totals			12	7	8	13	7	15	11	5	78

SUMMARY, 1935-1936

Value sites and buildings	\$27,500.00
Value equipment	1,500.00
Average salary of teachers	1,056.25
Visits by school board	16
Visits by Superintendent	95
Visits by citizens	61
Total number school days	174

ROLL OF HONOR

Pupils not absent or tardy for the year 1935-1936:

John Hobbs	Donald Grant
Ellsworth Leavitt	Gordon Grant
Wilma Oliver	Priscilla Leonard
George Marston	Reginald Leonard
Esther Locke	

North Hampton Pupils
Attending High School 1936-1937

Hampton Academy

Maurice Yeaton	Amy Fogg
Charlotte Bachelder	Gordon Yeaton

Hampton Jr. High

Louise Yeaton

Robinson Seminary

Anna Oliver

Portsmouth Jr. High

Charles Colson	John Hobbs
Mildred Corliss	Shirley Hobbs
Carroll Fogg	Bertha Jessie
Emery Fogg	Hazel Lovett
Florence Fogg	Gloria Marston
Phyllis Fogg	Carl Small
Samuel Garland	Virginia Stanley
Donald Grant	

Portsmouth Senior High

John Corliss	Ernest Morris
Ruby Eastman	Barbara Seavey
Brandon Knowles	Greta Storm
Adelbert Blaney	Elinor Wormwood
Paul Brewster	George Williams
Helen Carlson	George Batchelder
Ethel Degan	Barbara James
Louise Fogg	Nancy Lovett
Pauline Hescok	Autus Williams

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

1936-37

Physical examinations	83
Class room inspection	588
15% underweight	8
10% underweight	14
Weighed and measured	270
Defective visions	6
Eye test	83
Defective teeth	40
Defective tonsils	7
Unvaccinated	7

Total defects	53
Vision corrected	5
Teeth treated	15
Dental examination by Dr. Hanrahan	83

Owing to the illness of Dr. Hanrahan, the Dental Clinic was postponed to a later date. It is hoped we will have one in the near future.

Dental clinics will be sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association.

I wish to thank the School Board, Superintendent of Schools, Parent-Teachers, and all who co-operated with the health of the school child.

Respectfully submitted,

ANGELA DOLBEC, R. N.

ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1936

Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1935	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$1.24
Received from Selectmen:	
Appropriation for current year	15,765.00
Dog tax	170.95
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds	
(Centennial Hall Fund)	101.82
Received from all other sources	366.69
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	
(Balance and Receipts)	\$16,405.70
Less School Board Orders paid	15,264.04
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1936	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 1,141.66

EDWARD M. SMITH,
District Treasurer.

July 14, 1936.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of North Hampton, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and find them correct in all respects.

FRED L. DOW,
JAMES F. LEAVITT,
Auditors.

July 14, 1936.

FINANCIAL REPORT
Of the North Hampton School District
For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1935, and
Ending June 30, 1936.

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

ROY W. GILLMORE, Superintendent.

CHESTER A. DAVIS,
ADA M. FOGG,
AUSTIN J. NORTON,
School Board.

July 9, 1936.

Receipts

Income from Local Taxation:

For the support of elementary schools	\$15,765.00
(Raised by Selectmen)	

Total	\$15,765.00
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From Sources Other Than Taxation:

Dog licenses (from Selectmen)	170.95
Income from local trust funds	101.82
Other receipts	366.69

Total	639.46
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Total receipts from all sources	\$16,404.46
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Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1935	1.24
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Grand Total	\$16,405.70
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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of North Hampton, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JAMES F. LEAVITT,
FRED L. DOW,
Auditors.

July 14, 1936.

Payments

	<i>Distribution of Expenditures</i>			
	<i>Total</i>	<i>General</i>	<i>Support</i>	<i>Support</i>
	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Expenses</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>of</i>
			<i>High</i>	<i>Elem.</i>
			<i>School</i>	<i>Schools</i>
Administration:				
Salaries of district officers	\$285.00	\$285.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	175.00	175.00		
Truant officers and school census	10.00	10.00		
Expenses of administration	106.43	106.43		
Instruction:				
Principals' and teachers' salaries	4,516.00			\$4,516.00
Text books	165.52			165.52
Scholars' supplies	111.56			111.56
Flags and appurtenances	8.60			8.60
Other expenses of instruction	8.18			8.18
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:				
Janitor service	1,187.95			1,187.95
Fuel	491.19			491.19
Water, light, janitor's supplies	359.01			359.01
Minor repairs and expenses	278.82			278.82
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:				
Medical inspection				
Health supervision	105.91			105.91
Transportation of pupils	3,561.77		1,857.50	1,704.27
High school and academy tuition	2,887.96		2,887.96	
Other special activities	28.93			28.93
Fixed Charges:				
Tax for state wide supervision (\$2 per capita)	250.00	250.00		
Insurance and other fixed charges	246.00	246.00		
Outlay for Construction and Equipment:				
Alterations of old buildings	99.76	99.76		
New equipment	380.45	380.45		
Total Payments for All Purposes	\$15,264.04	\$1,552.64	\$4,745.46	\$8,965.94
Cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1936)	1,141.66			
Grand Total	\$16,405.70			

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash on hand:	
Balance June 30, 1936	\$1,141.66
Total Assets	<hr/> \$1,141.66
Grand Total	<hr/> \$1,141.66

Liabilities

Accounts owed by district (unpaid bills):	
Fuel	\$333.71
Water and light	30.98
Transportation	56.50
Minor expenses	1.20
Total Liabilities	<hr/> \$422.39
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	719.27
Grand Total	<hr/> \$1,141.66

Births Registered in the Town of North Hampton, N. H. for Year Ending December 31, 1936

1936	Place of Birth	♂ M	♀ F	Child's Name	Father's Name	Mother's Name
Mar. 12	Portsmouth, N. H.	F	2	Ann Marguerite	Clifton I. Gilman	Viola M. Jones
June 22	Portsmouth, N. H.	F	2	Cynthia Jean	Gordon S. Dow	Edith G. Golter
July 7	Exeter, N. H.	F	3	Sylvia Louise	William T. Whenal	Katherine Christie
Aug. 20	Portsmouth, N. H.	M	2	Leslie Victor, Jr.	Leslie V. Hutchins	Phyllis C. Thompson
Sept. 3	Portsmouth, N. H.	M	3	Robert Arthur	Albert C. Pearson	Alice M. Bellows

Marriages Registered in the Town of N. Hampton, N. H. for Year Ending December 31, 1936

1936	Place of Marriage	Names	Residences	Age
Jan. 17	North Hampton, N. H.	Lyman Elliott	Salem, Mass.	29
Feb. 9	North Hampton, N. H.	Gertrude Doucette	Peabody, Mass.	29
		Wallace B. Wile	Ipswich, Mass.	25
Mar. 29	North Hampton, N. H.	Bertha Kos	Bondsville, Mass.	24
		Alfons Anthony Warka	Palmer, Mass.	29
May 16	Claremont, N. H.	Bernice Schlosek	Ware, Mass.	22
		George P. Frost	North Hampton, N. H.	51
May 20	Somersworth, N. H.	Evelyn Rice	Claremont, N. H.	34
		Irwin Allen	Portsmouth, N. H.	23
June 20	Alfred, Me.	Helen M. Bolton	North Hampton, N. H.	22
		Raymond W. Clark	North Hampton, N. H.	31
June 27	Newfields, N. H.	Jeanette R. White	Hampton, N. H.	28
		Winslow R. Fogg	Hampton, N. H.	22
Dec. 6	North Hampton, N. H.	Gwendolyn A. Bennett	Orland, Me.	19
		Franklin Smith	Hampden, Me.	23
		Virginia Lowe	Hampden, Me.	20

Deaths Registered in the Town of N. Hampton, N. H. for Year Ending December 31, 1936

1936	Name	Age			Name of Father	Name of Mother
		Years	Mos.	Days		
Feb. 13	Grace H. Merrill	56	2	23	George F. Marston	Jennie C. Symonds
Mar. 5	Nora F. Marston	71	—	—	— Mansfield	Mary —
Mar. 21	E. Josephine Marston	76	11	22	James Marston	Lucy Dennett
Apr. 26	Ida F. Marston	80	5	7	Joshua Norton	Pheobe A. Perkins
Apr. 30	Clara M. Lamprey	89	6	26	Oliver Nudd	Sarah Redman
June 4	Frank C. Norton	81	10	26	Joshua Norton	Pheobe A. Perkins
July 8	Hilbert Osterlund	56	8	21	August Osterlund	—
Aug. 10	Sarah E. Philbrick	72	2	29	James Taylor	Martha S. Locke
Sept. 17	Elvira G. Locke	78	10	9	Nathaniel Marden	Emerett Locke
Sept. 28	James M. Magraw	79	—	29	John W. Magraw	Jane A. White
Oct. 5	Carrie A. Whenal	56	7	9	Harvey Marston	Martha Dow
Nov. 27	Edwin De Meritte	90	8	24	Stephen De Meritte	Nancy Chesley
Nov. 28	Alfred P. Lefebvre	62	3	27	Alfred Lefebvre	—

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